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TAGS: PFOR, CG, CD

SUBJECT: GOC REACTION TO BORDER ATTACK ON ZAIRE

REF: STATE 56060

1. NO OFFICIAL REACTION TO DATE TO BORDER INCIDENT, NOR IS ONE ANTICIPATED.

2. CHAD MEDIA REPORTING STORY BRIEFLY AND APPARENTLY FACTUALLY, ORIGINAL STORY MARCH 11 REPORTED ONLY THAT ZAIRE HAD INFORMED UN SECGEN THAT ZAIRE HAS BEEN INVADDED BY MERCENARIES IN PAY OF ANGOLA IN ORDER TO PARALYZE THE NERVE CENTER OF THIS PART OF ZAIRE. PAPER OF MARCH 12/13 REPORTED DENUNCIATION ANGOLAN GOVERNMENT BY PRES. MOUBOUTU U AS PAWN OF FOREIGN POWERS AND THUS NOT WORTHY OF BRINGING FORMAL COMPLAINT BEFORE UN. REPORT NOTES ALSO SILENCE OF ANGOLA, THAT ANGOLAN UN REP SAID TO BE WITHOUT INSTRUCTIONS, AND THAT CONGO BRAZZAVILLE OFFERED MEDIANOTE. NO MENTION MID-DAY CHADIAN RADIO REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL NEWS OR MARCH 14 PRESS.

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3. AMBASSADOR AT CEREMONY MARCH 14 BROUGHT SUBJECT UP WITH ZAIRIAN AMBASSADOR IN PRESENCE MEMBER CHADIAN SUPREME MILITARY COUNCIL AND MEMBER PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT. ZAIRIAN AMBASSADOR'S INFORMATION APPARENTLY LARGELY CONFINED MEDIA REPORTS; CHADIANS REMAINED DISCREETLY SILENT.

4. COMMENT: EMBASSY CAN FORESEE NO BENEFIT TO CHAD IN TAKING

SIDES ON QUESTION OR MAKING ANY OFFICIAL PRONOUNCEMENT ALTHOUGH,
GOC UNDOUBETEDLY FOLLOWING EVENTS WITH GREAT INTEREST. BRADFORD

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